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Dear Sir:

An Information Disclosure Statement (I.D.S.) was filed by Applicants on December 3, 2004. To date, however, Applicants have yet to receive a copy of the Form PTO-1449 signed by the Examiner indicating that this I.D.S. was considered. Accordingly, Applicants have provided herewith a copy of the I.D.S. submitted December 3, 2004 together with a stamped PTO Acknowledgement Receipt. It is respectfully requested the Examiner return an initialed and signed copy of the Form PTO-1449 for this submission.

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1. Fee Transmittal (in duplicate);
2. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (in duplicate);
3. Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE);
4. Information Disclosure Statement; and
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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record in the above-identified application the document listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

Applicants have listed a publication date on the attached PTO-1449 based on information presently available to the undersigned. However, the listed publication date should not be construed as an admission that the information was actually published on the date indicated.

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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114.

No certification or fee is required. 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b).

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner initial and return a copy of the enclosed PTO-1449.

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